

Dust My Broom

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I'm gettin' up soon in the mornin'
I believe I'll dust my broom
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I quit the best girl I'm lovin'
now my friends can get in my room

I'm gonna write a letter, telephone every town I know
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If I don't find her in Mississippi
she be in East Monroe I know

And I don't want no woman
wants every downtown man she meets
No I don't want no woman
wants every downtown man she meets
Man, she's a no good doney
they shouldn't allow her on the street, yeah

I believe, I believe my time ain't long
I believe, I believe my time ain't long
I ain't gonna leave my baby
and break up my happy home